# THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART

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#### FREE PUBLIC PROGRAMS COMPLEMENT PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

<u>Guest Lectures</u>\* Wednesdays, 8 pm

Wed/11 July Photography and Modernism. John Szarkowski, Director, Department of Photography, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, and curator of the exhibition, Photography Until Now.

Wed/18 July The Second Invention of Photography. Robert Sobieszek, Director of Photographic Collections, International Center of Photography at George Eastman House, Rochester, New York.

Wed/25 July Time and Time Again: Photography Between Two World Wars. David Travis, Curator of Photography, The Art Institute of Chicago. Wed/1 Aug Back to the Future: Present Trends in Photography. Colin Westerbeck, Assistant Curator of Photography, The Art Institute of Chicago.

Gallery Lectures
"Photography Until Now: Four Exposures"
Wednesdays, 2:15 pm
Different points of view presented informally in the exhibition.

Wed/18 July Evan Turner, Director, The Cleveland Museum of Art.

Wed/25 July Tom Hinson, Curator of Contemporary Art, The Cleveland Museum of Art.

Wed/1 Aug Andrew Borowiec, Associate Professor of Art, The University of Akron.

Wed/8 Aug Dennis Buck, Associate Professor of Photography, The Cleveland Institute of Art.

#### Gallery Talks/Tours

Opening week: 1:30 and 3:30 pm--Wed/June 27, Sat/June 30, Sun/July 1. 3:30 pm--Sun/July 15, 29, Aug 12.

12 noon--Thur/July 19.

Closing week: 1:30 and 3:30 pm--Wed/Aug 15, Sat/Aug 18, Sun/Aug 19. Sign-language tour (in sign language only) Sat/July 21, 10:30 am.

#### Audio-Visual Program

Video: Hockney the Photographer

Sat/28 July, 10:30 am & 2:30 pm and Sun/29 July, 2:30 pm

This British painter, who is also a photographer, was filmed in his London studio.

#### Moving Pictures: Films by Photographers

Wednesdays, at noted times

Portraits, photojournalism, and other experiments by photographers working in film are featured in a series organized and circulated by the American Federation of Arts with support from the Eastman Kodak Company and the National Endowment for the Arts.

- Wed/27 June, 7:45 pm Program 1: Surreal Tendencies--nineteen short films by Louis and Auguste Lumiere, Man Ray, Laszlo Moholy-Nagy, Ralph Steiner, Brassaï, William Wegman, and Robert Breer, among others
- Wed/11 July, 8 pm Program 2: Visions of America-short films by Charles Sheeler, Paul Strand, Weegee, and Gordon Parks, among others\*
- Wed/18 July, 8 pm Program 3: Street Scenes-three films, including "The Little Fugitive" (1953), a prize-winning feature about a little boy who runs away thinking he has killed his brother\*
- Wed/25 July, 8 pm Program 4: Photojournalism--documentaries by Margaret Bourke-White, Henri Cartier-Bresson, and others\*
- Wed/1 Aug, 8 pm Program 5: Definitions & Experiments--abstract and experimental films by William Klein, Hollis Frampton, Michael Snow, and others\*
- Wed/8 Aug, 7:45 pm Program 6: Portraits--Robert Mapplethorpe's "Still Moving: Patti Smith," Bruce Davidson's "Isaac Singer's Nightmare and Mrs. Pupko's Beard," and Bruce Weber's "Broken Noses"
- Wed/15 Aug, 7:30 pm Program 7: Three Meditations-Danny Lyon's "Born to Film," Robert Frank's "Hunter," and Raymond Depardon's "Les Annees Declic"

### In the Dark About Art: Films on Art & Artists\*

Wednesdays, 12:30 & 7:00 pm (12:30 & 5:30 pm on July 11, 18, 25, and Aug 1)

- Wed/6 June Art in America: Photography--The Beginning of a New Art. Color. 25 min.
- Wed/13 June Art in America: Photography-Masters of the 20th Century. Color, 25 min.
- Wed/20 June The Language of the Camera's Eye. B&W, 29 min.
- Wed/27 June Daybooks of Edward Weston: The Strongest Way of Seeing. B&W, 30 min.
- Wed/11 July Edward Steichen. B&W, 29 min.\*
- Wed/18 July Dorothea Lange: Under the Trees. B&W, 30 min.\*
  Wed/25 July Dorothea Lange: The Closer for Me. B&W, 30 min.\*
- Wed/1 Aug Imogen Cunningham, Photographer. Color, 20 min.\*
- Wed/8 Aug Uncommon Images: James Van Der Zee. Color, 22 min.
- Wed/15 Aug Homage to August Sander. Color, 22 min. (distributed through the American Federation of the Arts Film and Video Program)

## Family Express: Art Activities Designed for Families Sun/15 July, 3-4:30 pm

Pre-registration is not required for these free activities. Families may come and go at their leisure.

<u>Photograms</u>. Positive and negative shapes appear on blueprint paper exposed to sunlight. The whole family can create photograms. Meet in the outside garden court.

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\*Indicates programs which are part of the Wednesday Evening Festivals.

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